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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR

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TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is:

Amendment Transmittal (3 pgs.), in duplicate Request for Reconsideration in response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2006 and made final (7 pages) Return receipt postcard

STATUS

Applicant

claims small entity status. is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1 apply.											
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)										
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)										
		Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)							
		first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00							
		second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00							
		third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00							
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00							
		fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00							
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.											
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An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.											
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	OR										
(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extens of time.											

FEE FOR CLAIMS

	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			(Col. 2)	(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
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